# THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS CLEVELAND MEDICAL CENTER, INC.

:

CASE NO. 1:25-cv-00339-DAR

Plaintiff

JUDGE DAVID A. RUIZ

Nicholas Krudy

V.

:

Defendant.

# **DECLARATION OF DONALD G. SLEZAK**

- I, Donald G. Slezak, being duly cautioned and sworn, hereby declares as follows:
- 1. I am over the age of 18 and competent to testify on the matters and facts contained in this Declaration.
- 2. I am counsel for University Hospitals Cleveland Medical Center, Inc. ("Plaintiff") and I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein.
- 3. Plaintiff filed its Complaint for Judicial Declaration, Injunctive Relief, and Temporary Restraining Order (the "Complaint") on February 19, 2025.
- 4. A copy of the filed complaint was emailed to Defendant Nicholas Krudy ("Defendant") on February 19, 2025.
  - 5. The summons was issued on February 19, 2025.
- 6. A copy of the Summons and Complaint were served upon Defendant on March 28, 2025 via process server to Defendant's P.O Box listed for service in his related litigation at John Koe aka Nicholas Krudy, PO Box 527, Novelty, OH 44072-0527.
  - 7. Plaintiff filed an affidavit of service with this Court on March 31, 2025.

- 8. Based on the date that the Summons and Complaint were served on Defendant,
  Defendant's answer was due on April 18, 2025.
  - 9. Defendant has not filed an appearance.
  - 10. In addition, Defendant has not filed an answer to the Complaint.
  - 11. Defendant has not requested an extension to respond to the Complaint.
- 12. Despite attempts to communicate with Defendant about the Complaint,
  Defendant has refused to respond or otherwise acknowledge this Complaint.
  - 13. Finally, Plaintiff sent a waiver of service to Plaintiff on February 27, 2025
  - 14. Defendant did not return an executed waiver of service.
- 15. Plaintiff incurred \$349.85 in attempting to serve Defendant. True and correct invoices sent by Plaintiff's processor server are attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
- 16. I am prepared to testify to the facts set forth in the Complaint and in this Declaration if the Court deems it necessary.
  - 17. This Declaration is based on my personal knowledge.

I have read the foregoing declaration and I affirm under penalty of perjury under the laws of Ohio and the United States of America that the foregoing is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information, and belief.

Donald G. Slezak

Date

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### **Donald Slezak**

From: Request <request@greentreelegal.com>
Sent: Friday, March 28, 2025 12:22 PM
To: Donald Slezak; Tim Boman

**Cc:** Request

**Subject:** Payment Request for GRT Job 2025003906

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## **Payment Request**

From: Greentree Legal

To: Gordon Rees Scully Mansukhani

This message is in regard to: Job Number: 2025003906

Party To Be Served: John Koe, PO Box 527, Novelty, OH 44072-0527

Documents: SUMMONS IN A CIVIL ACTION, COMPLAINT FOR JUDICIAL DECLARATION, INJUNCTIVE

RELIEF, AND TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER, EXHIBITS

Amount Due: \$134.85

Payments can be made by going to <a href="https://grt.sopstatus.com/mlink-payment/?d=SbF@UUwEEli0enLLWnliVUscsV7OzVb0Mw6gVwgYNl9gxoUc1mShC7l">https://grt.sopstatus.com/mlink-payment/?d=SbF@UUwEEli0enLLWnliVUscsV7OzVb0Mw6gVwgYNl9gxoUc1mShC7l</a>

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### INVOICE





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Case Number: Northern 1:25-CV-339

Plaintiff:

**UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS CLEVELAND MEDICAL CENTER** 

Defendant:

**NICHOLAS KRUDY** 

Received: 2/19/2025 Non-Served: 2/25/2025 NON-SERVE - DILIGENT

To be served on: Nicholas Krudy

#### **ITEMIZED LISTING**

Line Item			Quantity	Price	Amount
Print Fee			200.00	0.20	40.00
Geauga County-OH: Process Server Fee			1.00	125.00	125.00
Rush Fee			1.00	50.00	50.00
TOTAL CHARGED:					\$215.00
2/20/2025	CC **d564	Online Pre-Payment			215.00
BALANCE D	UE:				\$0.00

Thank you for your business!

Thank you! We appreciate the opportunity to assist with service on this case.